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1. ACCORDING TO FRG DEPUTY PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
BRUATIGAM JANUARY 19, THE HIGHEST NUMBER EVER (105) OF
VISITORS CAME TO THE PERMREP BUILDING ON JANUARY 18.
HE WAS NOT CERTAIN HOW MANY WERE GDR CITIZENS, BUT
THOUGHT MOST WERE. HE ALSO DID NOT KNOW WHETHER MOST
WERE "REPEATERS" OR FIRST-TIMERS, AND THE WEST GERMANS
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WERE STILL CAUTIOUS IN ASSESSING THE IMPACT THE
JANUARY 11 MEASURE WOULD HAVE ON POTENTIAL VISITORS
IN THE FUTURE. BRAUTIGAM CLAIMS THE PERMREP REMAINS
UNCERTAIN WHY THE EAST GERMANS IMPOSED AND THEN LIFTED
THE ACCESS CONTROL MEASURES. ALTHOUGH NOT WEDDED TO
THE IDEA, GRAUTIGAM SUGGESTED THE ONE-DAY MEASURES
MIGHT HAVE BEEN MEANT AS A WARNING TO THE FRG THAT

IT SHOULD TAKE STEPS TO DISCOURAGE APPLICANTS FROM APPLYING. BRAUTIGAM SAID THE EAST GERMANS HAD SUGGESTED EARLER THAT BONN SHOULD TAKE STEPS TO LIMIT IMMIGRATION (BERLIN 7147), WHICH BONN OF COURSE HAD REJECTED. BY THE NEW ACCESS CONTROL MEASURE, THE EAST GERMANS MAY BE TRYING TO STEP UP THE PRESSURE ON THE WEST GERMANS TO DO SOMETHING -- WHICH THEY ARE NOT PREPARED TO DO, ACCORDING TO BRAUTIGAM. POLANSKY

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